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IN RE APPLICATION OF: Wolfgang GUENTHER, et al.

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FOR: FUEL COMPOSITION CONTAINING PROPYLENE AND MAIL

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Transmitted herewith is an Amendment and Request for Reconsideration Under 37 CFR § 1.116 w/ Marked-Up Copy in the above-identified application.

- No additional fee is required  
 Small entity status of this application under 37 C.F.R. §1.9 and §1.27 is claimed.  
 Additional documents filed herewith:

The Fee has been calculated as shown below:

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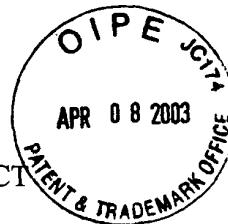


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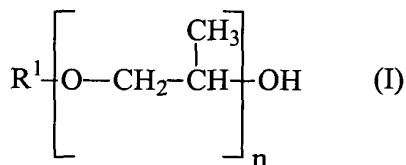
In response to the Official Action of January 8, 2003, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the above-identified application in view of the following amendments and remarks.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please amend the claims to read as follows:

3. (Amended) A fuel composition for internal combustion engines, containing a principle amount of a liquid hydrocarbon fuel, comprising an amount, which has an intake system cleaning effect, of an additive combination comprising

i) at least one propoxylate additive of the formula I



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